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I verily believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or a joint inventor (if plural inventors are named below) of the invention entitled:

**FLEXIBLE, SELF-ALIGNING TIME
AND SPACE SWITCH FABRICS**

which is described and claimed in the attached specification.

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